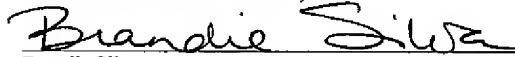


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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re: Dawn COVERLEY

Group Art Unit: 1636

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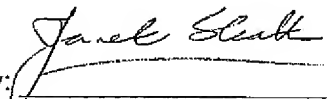
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Dear Sir:

In response to the species election requirement mailed August 5, 2009, applicant hereby elects Species 1, namely inventions involving the nucleic acid sequence of Ciz1. This species encompasses claims 33, 34 and 43-49, with claims 30-32, 37-40, 50-54, 57-62, 64 and 65 being generic.

Early consideration and allowance of the amended application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: October 2, 2009

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